

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of recording audiovisual contents, the contents being broadcast according to a schedule predetermined by a content broadcaster, the method including:

a preliminary step of selecting, from an access terminal, a set of contents having a common topic, said set being offered by an audiovisual content presentation server,

a step of the audiovisual content presentation server selecting at least an audiovisual content to be recorded, on the basis of the selected set, the content being associated with a broadcast date and time predetermined by the content broadcaster,

a step of the audiovisual content presentation server generating a record file containing information identifying the selected audiovisual content to be recorded and the scheduled date and time for broadcasting it,

~~a step of the access terminal receiving a record file of the selected audiovisual content, said file containing information identifying the audiovisual content to be recorded and the scheduled date and time for broadcasting it, and content, and~~

a step of updating the record file, especially in the event of modification of the audiovisual content selected by the presentation server.

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the updating step is executed if the date and/or the time of broadcasting the selected audiovisual content is modified.

3. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the updating step is executed if the selection of the audiovisual content selected by the presentation server is modified.

4. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the updating step is executed if the selected audiovisual content is replaced by another audiovisual content or is cancelled.

5. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the record file includes at least one field marked by a markup and defining information identifying the corresponding audiovisual content, associated with data describing said content.

6. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the record file includes at least one field marked by a markup and defining, for a given audiovisual content in the same file, a content identifier associated with a content already recorded in the storage means of the access terminal.

7. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the syntax of files exchanged between the access terminal and the server is defined by an unique data structure schema, in particular an XML schema.

8. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the presentation server comprises means for identifying a terminal that has selected an audiovisual content and the updating step includes notifying a modification relating to said audiovisual content as soon as the presentation server is notified of said modification.

9. (Original) A method according to claim 1 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the record file includes the address of an update server for generating a request to update the record file sent by the terminal to the update server.

10. (Original) A method according to claim 9 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the request is an HTTP request.

11. (Original) A method according to claim 9 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the terminal sends the request to update the record file periodically up to the date and time scheduled for broadcasting the selected audiovisual content.

12. (Original) A method according to claim 9 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the terminal sends the request to update the record file increasingly often as the date and time for recording the selected audiovisual content approaches.

13. (Original) A method according to claim 9 of recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, wherein the record file includes a field marked by a markup and defining the address of the update server.

14. (Original) A system for recording audiovisual contents broadcast according to a schedule, adapted to execute a method according to claim 1, wherein the system comprises a presentation server for presenting said audiovisual contents and an access terminal comprising means for selecting a set of contents offered by the presentation server and having a common topic, the selection of at least one audiovisual content being then automatically executed by the presentation server, on the basis of the set that has been selected in order to supply to the access terminal a record file of the selected audiovisual content, said file containing information identifying the audiovisual content and the date and time scheduled for broadcasting it.

15. (Original) An update server adapted to execute a method according to claim 1, wherein the server includes means for selecting at least one audiovisual content and for transmitting a record file of the selected audiovisual content, said file containing information

identifying the audiovisual content and the date and time scheduled for broadcasting it, on the basis of a set of contents having a common topic selected from the access terminal, and means for updating the record file, in particular if the selected audiovisual content is modified.

16. (Original) An access terminal adapted to execute a method according to claim 1, comprising means for receiving a record file of a selected audiovisual content, said file containing information identifying the audiovisual content and the date and time scheduled for broadcasting it, which access terminal further comprises means for selecting beforehand a set of contents offered by an audiovisual content presentation server and having a common topic, the selection of the audiovisual content being then automatically executed by the presentation server, on the basis of the set selected, and means for receiving update data for the record file, in particular if the selected audiovisual content is modified.